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The Bulletin
 Norwich, Friday, Dec. 27, 1918.

THE WEATHER.

Pressure remains high over the west portion of the country and has risen considerably in the northeast. It has fallen over the central portion of the country but without any depression of consequence.
 As a whole, temperatures are well below the seasonal average except in New England and the northwest. With the exception of local snow Friday in northern New England and the upper lake region, the weather will be generally fair Friday and Saturday east of the Mississippi river without temperature changes of consequence.
 The winds along the north Atlantic will be moderate northerly, with clearing weather.
 Middle Atlantic: Moderate northwest, becoming variable by Saturday; fair weather.
 Forecast:
 Southern New England: Fair Friday and Saturday without decided temperature changes.
 Observations in Norwich.
 The following records, reported from The Bulletin's observations, show the changes in temperature and the barometric changes Thursday:
 Ther. Bar.
 7 a. m. 22 29.95
 12 m. 27 30.25
 5 p. m. 32 30.10
 Highest 40, lowest 20.
 Comparisons.
 Predictions for Thursday: Partly cloudy; cool.
 Thursday's weather: Cloudy; light rain and snow; clearing; clearing in afternoon; northwest wind.
 Sea, Moon and Tides.
 Sun Rises. Sets. High. Moon Rises.
 Day. a. m. p. m. a. m. p. m.
 Dec. 27. 7:15. 4:25. 1:36. 10:33.
 Dec. 28. 7:16. 4:24. 1:35. 10:32.
 Dec. 29. 7:17. 4:23. 1:34. 10:31.
 Dec. 30. 7:18. 4:22. 1:33. 10:30.
 Dec. 31. 7:19. 4:21. 1:32. 10:29.
 Jan. 1. 7:20. 4:20. 1:31. 10:28.
 Jan. 2. 7:21. 4:19. 1:30. 10:27.
 Jan. 3. 7:22. 4:18. 1:29. 10:26.
 Jan. 4. 7:23. 4:17. 1:28. 10:25.
 Jan. 5. 7:24. 4:16. 1:27. 10:24.
 Six hours after the water is low, which is followed by flood tide.

GREENEVILLE

A pleasant evening was spent Wednesday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Baker when their daughter, Miss Leonida A. DeNomme, entertained 12 couples in honor of the Misses Noll and Abella Lattiere of Arctic, Ill. Vocal solos were given by Miss Noll Lattiere and dancing was enjoyed.
 The Misses Noll and Abella Lattiere have returned to their home after spending Christmas with Mrs. Leonida DeNomme.
 Mrs. P. H. Ethier, who has been confined to her home for the past five weeks, is improving and is able to be about.
 Private George Kramer of Camp Devens spent Christmas with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. William Kramer of Central avenue.
 James J. Redden is visiting with relatives in New York city.
 Albert Evans, who is stationed at New York spent Christmas with his parents in Preston.
 Miss Leonida and August Cayouette who are employed in Washington, D. C., are spending the holidays with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Alphonse Cayouette of Central avenue.
 Private Joseph J. Jodoin of Baltic, who is stationed at Fort Slocum was a guest of Mr. and Mrs. P. H. Ethier Christmas.
 George Hollingsworth of Newell avenue resoured his elbow Christmas afternoon when he fell in a deer trap at Mountain Park.
 Miss Anna A. Case of 306 Bowtell avenue has returned from Providence, R. I. after passing an examination for a nurse, winning an honor seal. Miss Casey is a graduate of St. Joseph's hospital training school for nurses in Providence. Miss Casey is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Patrick W. Casey of Bowtell avenue.
 Miss Nelson has returned to New London after spending a few days in the village with relatives.
 John Sullivan of Springfield, Mass., is spending a few days at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Patrick Sullivan of Central avenue.
 Names Omitted From Honor Roll.
 Through an error the name of Edward Francis Smigel, son of Bronislav Smigel of Norwich, Town was omitted from the town honor roll and will be added. Smigel was one of the Norwich men who died in service, succumbing to Spanish influenza at the state pier in New London on October 9, 1918. He enlisted in the Naval Reserve in May, 1918, and was assigned to the U. S. S. Helderberg, which is attached to the state pier.

Eight Arrested on Thursday.

There were eight arrests made by the police on Thursday evening. The charge in every case was intoxication or breach of the peace. Five Polish young men were brought in for creating a disturbance in a house on Forest street. The disturbance was a serious one, but the police prevented a more serious offense.

Mariden Plant Closes.

The International Silver company has closed Factory M on South Cherry street, Mariden, reformed as a munition shop from a silverware plant, as a result of the government cancellation of orders. Eight employees are released. The company has made no plans for the future use of the factory. Its war work was largely on parts of gas masks.

Entertained on Christmas Night.

A pleasant Christmas party was given on Wednesday evening by Miss Gladys Dabey at her home on Spring Garden avenue. The evening was delightfully spent with music and games. Refreshments were served during the evening by the hostess.

Guard Drills Omitted.

All the local State guard units have omitted drill during the past week owing to the holidays, but will resume drill as usual next week.

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No Immediate Closing of Marlin-Rockwell

With the shutting down of the Marlin-Rockwell plant in this city for a week to take inventory of stock, the question has been raised as to whether the plant would continue the making of rifles or go into some peace-time product.
 Assistant Works Manager C. L. Brainerd when approached on the subject Thursday evening stated that the temporary shutdown was for the taking of the inventory only. He also stated that the plant had several thousand rifles to complete and that this would take some time and that there was no danger of an immediate closing of the plant in the near future.
 As to what the war work Mr. Brainerd stated that nothing definite had been decided but that the talk was that the Marlin-Rockwell plant might be used in the making of automobile parts, namely, ball bearings, which the Marlin-Rockwell plants in other parts of the country have specialized on before the war.
 Mr. Brainerd intimated that there might be other lines of work done at the local plant, but he was certain that the plant would never remain idle while it was in the hands of the Marlin-Rockwell firm.
 From New Haven comes a despatch that owing to the cancellation of war orders the Marlin-Rockwell company will continue to lay off help and reduce its force according to a set schedule.

COLD WEATHER SUGGESTIONS FOR HORSE DRIVERS

The following cold weather suggestions were received by Dr. Charles H. Lamb of Town street, under cover of recent date, from Miss Mary E. J. Lally, secretary of the Connecticut Humane society, with general office at Hartford, relative to the care of horses:
 Warm the bits a little on freezing mornings.
 Take the chill off the water he drinks.
 Be careful about exposing him when overheated.
 Blanket him when he stands in the cold.
 Have his shoes sharpened when the streets are slippery.
 Take no risks of injury to him in visiting over asphalt.
 On icy mornings carry some sand for emergencies.
 Load lighter when snow blocks the streets.
 Do a little shoveling to help your horse.
 Attempt no hard pulls up steep or slippery inclines.
 Keep him cool and keep their balance better uncheckered.
 Give him frequent rests on snowy roads.
 Turn your horse with a little axle grease.
 Rub him down when he comes in wet.
 Feed carefully and well during the winter.
 Blanket and bed him sufficiently on cold nights.
 Send for a veterinarian before it is too late.
 Keep your temper and save your horse.
 The humane suggestions are made in the interest of the horse, but do not forget that he is your property and the value of many horses is depreciated by their treatment in wintry weather.

HIGH TENSION LINE QUESTION SETTLED IN GROTON

At a recent meeting of the water and light commissioners of Groton it was settled that the high tension line which the Shore Line Co. is erecting to carry the electricity to the plant of the Groton and Waterbury power company, and which will run directly to the power house and across farmers and orchards will be placed where the old Corliss engine used to be.
 There is difficulty in obtaining land for the poles as it is necessary to bring them down Baker avenue. It was understood that the company wants to purchase ground just big enough for the poles and this proposition is meeting stubborn resistance from the owners of the land. The company is offering \$3,000 for the land and is willing to be allowed near dwelling houses and that in cases of emergency the company is extremely dangerous to the lives of the people.

TWO MURDER CASES FOR GRAND JURY NEXT WEEK

The January criminal term of the superior court will open in this city Tuesday morning, Jan. 7, with a grand jury. Judge William M. Malbie will preside.
 There are two murder cases for the grand jury to consider. One of the cases is against a negro, Kid Wells, charged with the murder of a woman, and the other case is against Giacomo Sbaraglio, an Italian laborer, who is accused of shooting and killing a man, Jerome, a fellow laborer, on the farm of the Groton Iron works in Groton, Thanksgiving night.
 The petit jury will come in Wednesday morning.

\$25,000 SUIT BROUGHT AGAINST MYSTIC MAN

Suit for damages of \$25,000 for alienation of his wife's affections has been brought by the estate of a woman against Eugene E. Seaman. The plaintiff is a dentist, who has not been in active practice recently on account of ill health and the defendant is a man being proprietor of a stationery store in Mystic, is a vocalist of note in this part of the state. He is credited with possessing considerable property aside from his business.

New London Feeds 53 Families.

The city of New London provided for 53 dinners which were distributed to the poor on Christmas day. The dinners were prepared at the almshouse on Monday afternoon and evening, Mr. Donohue and wife and Mrs. Prentiss, with the aid of the volunteer corps, packed up the food for distribution, and arranging Christmas cards and decorations to accompany the donations.
 Each one of the 53 families received a basket containing chicken, a peck of potatoes, one-half dozen turnips, three quarts of onions and a large loaf of bread.
 Superintendent Donohue delivered these dinners to the families on Wednesday forenoon.

MARBLE IMPORTS.

More than 90 per cent. of the marble imported in 1917 came from Italy. England and France, the countries furnishing the next largest imports, together sent less than 8 per cent. Mexico, which ranked next to Italy in 1915 and 1916 and annually sent general imports of marble averaging in value about \$200,000, furnished general imports valued at only \$3,257 in 1917. Mexico supplied mainly or wholly onyx marble. The preceding table, however, does not show the value of the onyx imported in 1917 was \$24,506 and as the greater part of this doubtless came from Mexico, the great difference between the figures given indicates that during the year a much larger quantity was taken from warehouses and marketed than was brought into the country. No imports of Grecian marble were recorded for 1917, but some of the marble received from England (which nearly doubled in value) may have come from Greece through England.
 The port of entry for 88 per cent. of the marble imported in 1917 was New York. Practically all the French, Mexican, and Japanese marble was received at this port. Of the Italian marble 87 per cent. entered by New York and 7 per cent. by Chicago. About half of the marble imported from England entered at Chicago and half at New York.

PRODUCTION OF MARBLE IN 1917.

The value of marble sold in the United States in 1917, according to reports made by the producers to G. P. Loughlin, United States Geological Survey, Department of the Interior, was \$6,230,357. The quantity produced in 1917 included a small proportion of serpentine, as shown in a later paragraph, but no "onyx marble." Of the marble sold in 1917, 3,158,351 cubic feet (about 134,270 tons) valued at \$6,100,280, was building and monumental marble—a decrease of 33 per cent. in quantity and 11 per cent. in value compared with 1916. The average price of this stone per cubic foot was \$2.33 in 1917 and \$2.13 in 1916.
 The marble sold for use as flux, terrazzo and mosaic work, and ornamental stone, and the pulverized marble sold for use in agriculture and in manufactures amounted to 129,764 tons, valued at \$230,107. The marble sold for these purposes in 1916 amounted to 135,217 short tons valued at \$299,156.

DETAILS OF PRESIDENT'S VISIT TO CHAUMONT

Chaumont, Wednesday, Dec. 26.—(By The A. P.)—President Wilson today pledged himself to the American troops in the field to attain a peace which would preserve the fruits of the sacrifices they have made. Standing with bare head in a field near Langres, over which Caesar had marched with his legions centuries ago, the president told 10,000 American infantrymen that, now that they had done their part to win the ideals for which America entered the war, they could depend upon him to see that they were preserved.
 The president came up from Paris to spend Christmas day with the men who have done such a great part in the winning of the war. Historic old Chaumont, headquarters of the American army, did their proud in its recognition. In its homely way it recalled Paris and in the depth of its sincerity it fully equalled it.
 Cold grey clouds banked shut out the sun and the ground was wet and sodden. But there was no dampness in the welcome simply won.
 The American troops, muddy, cold and soaked, but happy, seemed just as enthusiastic as the country people.
 The president's train arrived at nine o'clock in the morning and the party went at once to the city hall, where there was a formal reception. They were speeches, all in French, by the general commanding the district, the mayor and the prefect.
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SUCCESSOR TO JEFFERS TO BE ANNOUNCED ON DEC. 31

An official notification was sent on Thursday to Lieutenant of Police Thomas J. Jeffers of New London by the secretary of the police committee of the town and common council, in connection with the lieutenant's retirement from the police force on the night of Dec. 31.
 Mayor E. Frank Morgan on Thursday instructed the committee to forward a formal notice to Lieutenant Jeffers to the effect that his retirement had been accepted by the council, on and after the above date.
 The announcement that he would retire at the end of the year, which was made several weeks ago, following a meeting of the police committee, soon after the last municipal election. It was expected that the lieutenant would be succeeded by a new lieutenant, but no reference to the matter was made at the meeting.
 It is known, however, that a lieutenant to succeed Jeffers has been selected by the mayor and the police committee and the announcement of this appointment is to be withheld until Dec. 31. Jan. 1, 1919, the new lieutenant will be named by the committee as a temporary or interim appointment from the first until the sixth day of January, when the council will meet, at that time, but no reference to the matter will be made at the meeting.
 It is believed that the new lieutenant will be either Samuel Hick, John J. Caranahan or Frank E. Howard.

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Alexander stepped up to the stand and presented Mr. Wilson with one of the little silver statues of Liberty which the men of the Seventy-Seventh wear on their shoulders to denote their division.

The president and party then re-entered the motor cars, going to Christmas dinner with the officers of the Twenty-Sixth Division, composed entirely of New England troops. Dinner was served in one of the grand wards of an old French hospital several miles away. It had been the president's wish and plan to dine with the troops themselves, but in the crush of arrangements something went wrong and the plan was not carried out.

The president seemed to enjoy the dinner none the less. It consisted of army bread without butter, roast turkey with dressing, boiled onions, French lettuce and coffee without cream. All was served in the simplest style and with the littlest ceremony. From dinner the president went on a tour of billets in the nearby neighborhood, all of them on the road returning to Chaumont, and inspected personally several of the places where the men live with old French families, some of them in thickened huts.

The president told those about him that he had passed through the greatest day of his life.
 The French thought it was a great day for them, and the Americans were sure it was no less great for them. All the American troops in the vicinity, who were not concerned in the review, were somewhere to see what was going on.

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